for the office and one for each of the judges thereof; to the Court of Special Appeals, two copies for the office and one for each of the judges thereof; to each of the associate judges of the circuit courts for the several counties, to the chief judge and the associate judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, one copy each for the use of their respective offices; to the clerks of the circuit courts for the several counties and of the City of Baltimore and the clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore City, the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, the clerk of the Baltimore City Court, and the clerk of the Criminal Court of Baltimore, one copy each; to the registers of wills throughout the State for the use of the registers of wills and orphans' court, one copy; to the Commissioner of the Land Office. one copy; to the executive chamber, one copy; to the Library of Congress, five copies; to the Enoch Pratt Free Library of Baltimore City, two copies; to the General Assembly, eight copies; and to the executive department of each state in the Union, one copy; to the Comptroller of the treasury, the Treasurer of Maryland, the Department of Legislative Reference, the police commissioner of Baltimore City, and the State Tax Commission, one copy each; and to the librarian of the library company of the Baltimore Bar, such copies of the published opinions, law [laws], journals and documents of the State of Maryland of which he may now have duplicates and of which he may have duplicates from time to time as new volumes are published, as can be spared from the State Library, not exceeding in each case two copies of such volumes. The remainder of said published opinions shall be deposited in the State Library and shall be retained in the State Library or distributed under the direction of the library committee or may be used by the State Library for exchange purposes.

166.

The judges of the Court of Appeals, or a majority of them, are hereby authorized to appoint a committee of three or more persons to serve without compensation, who shall have the power and authority to purchase from time to time such books, maps and periodicals as they may deem advisable for the use of the State Library, and said committee may draw on the Treasurer of the State from time to time for such sums of money as may be necessary to pay for said books, maps and periodicals, not to exceed, however, the sum annually appropriated for the augmentation of the State Library.

167.

The Director, with the approval of the library committee of the Maryland State Library, shall have the power and authority to sell from time to time such books, including the Maryland Reports and Codes, maps and periodicals, in the State Library, as they consider prudent and desirable to sell, and the proceeds of such sales, after deducting the expenses incident thereto, to be paid over to the Treasurer of the State within thirty days after the receipt thereof; provided no book, map or periodical shall be so sold if its sale would break a set.

168.

The said committee are hereby authorized to pass such rules and regulations as they may deem necessary and proper for the conduct